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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

The Applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2009, for three (3) months from September 22, 2009 to December 22, 2009. The Extension of time fee of \$555.00 for the requested extension is being paid via Electronic Funds System (EFS).

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 03-3415.